



Shah-I-Hamadan Institute of Islamic Studies

University of Kashmir, Srinagar-190006-India

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DETAILS OF THE CURRICULUM

FOR

Two (02)/ One (01) YEAR MASTER'S PROGRAMME

IN

ISLAMIC STUDIES

AS PER NEP-2020

SHAH-I-HAMADAN INSTITUTE OF ISLAMIC STUDIES

UNIVERSITY OF KASHMIR, HAZRATBAL

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Students with an M.A. in Islamic Studies will be expected to achieve the following outcomes:

PROGRAMME EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES (PEOs)

These reflect the career and professional achievements expected 3–5 years after successful completion of the Master's Programme in Islamic Studies.

PEO1: Professional Excellence and Competence

Postgraduates will demonstrate proficiency in Islamic Studies, research, and applied practice across domains such as Islamic Civilization, Tasawwuf, Human Rights, Islamic Economics, and Major World Religions contributing effectively to their professional settings.

PEO2: Ethical, Inclusive, and Socially Responsible Practice

Learners will uphold ethical standards and exhibit sensitivity to cultural diversity and social justice, applying Islamic Ethics, Islamic Psychology and Islamic Sociology to enhance individual and community wellbeing.

PEO3: Research Engagement and Lifelong Learning

Degree holders will actively engage in scholarly research, continue academic or professional advancement, and adapt to emerging developments in Islamic Studies, and interdisciplinary trends.

PEO4: Leadership and Multidisciplinary Collaboration

Learners will emerge as leaders in sectors such as Islamic Economics, Islamic Art and Architecture, Islamic Political Science, education, capable of interdisciplinary teamwork and contributing to policy formulation and public discourse on different issues.



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PROGRAMME LEARNING OUTCOMES (PLOs)

Students completing the programme will demonstrate the following competencies by the time of completion of degree.

PLO1: Advanced Theoretical Understanding

Develop and apply comprehensive knowledge of key Islamic Studies domains—including Islamic History, Religious Sciences, Islamic Mysticism, Comparative Study of Religions, and Islamic Social Sciences—with an appreciation of their theoretical and historical underpinnings.

PLO2: Interdisciplinary and Contextual Integration

Synthesize concepts of Islamic Studies with insights from allied disciplines such as Political Science, Economics, Sociology and Psychology, and apply them effectively to diverse social, cultural, and policy contexts.

PLO3: Research and Analytical Competence

Design, conduct, and interpret research using both quantitative and qualitative methodologies, with appropriate use of diverse tools and ethical research practices.

PLO4: Communication and Digital Fluency

Effectively communicate concepts and research findings through written reports, presentations, and digital platforms, tailored to academic and public audiences.

PLO5: Innovation and Problem Solving

Apply different theories and methods to identify, analyze, and solve real-world individual and societal problems with creativity and contextual sensitivity.

PLO6: Ethical Responsibility and Cultural Competence

Display ethical integrity, professional responsibility, and cultural sensitivity in academic, and research settings.

PLO7: Leadership and Team Collaboration

Demonstrate effective leadership and teamwork capabilities, facilitating collaboration in multidisciplinary environments to achieve shared professional goals.

PLO8: Reflective Thinking and Lifelong Learning

Exhibit self-awareness, critical reflection, and a commitment to continuous personal and professional development through lifelong learning.



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METHODOLOGY USED TO ASSESS PROGRAM LEARNING OUTCOMES (PLOs), AND COURSE LEARNING OUTCOMES (CLOs) FOR M.A. ISLAMIC STUDIES PROGRAMME:

Exams (Internal & External)	Objective and subjective questions to assess knowledge, understanding, and application of concepts.
Assignments	Research papers, case studies, presentations to evaluate critical thinking, analytical skills, and ability to synthesize information.
Project Work	Independent research projects to demonstrate research design, data collection, analysis, and interpretation skills
Discussions	Encouraging active engagement in class discussions, debates, and group activities.

Master's Programme in Islamic Studies

(NEP 2020 – OBE Compliant) (Academic Session 2025 Onwards)

Curriculum Structure

The courses in the program are of two types: Core and Discipline Centric Electives:

Core Courses: The core papers are basic /unique to a program and are compulsory to be studied to earn a degree in the given program.

Elective Courses: These are the courses that can be chosen from a pool of papers and may be:

- Supportive to the discipline of study
- Providing an expanded scope
- Enabling exposure to some other discipline/domain



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Syllabus for 2 Year/ 1 Year Master's Programme in Islamic Studies (CW+CW and CW+R Schemes)

(CW+CW Scheme)

Ncrf Credit Level	Semester	Course Code	Course Name	Course Type	Course Level	Credits	Total Credits	Credits Required	Max. Marks			Contact Hours
									Internal	End Term	Total	
6	I	MISLCIC125	Islamic Civilization: Origin and Development (up to 661 C.E.)	CORE COURSES (CR)	400	4	34	22	28	72	100	15 Hours Per Credit
		MISLCQH125	Quran and Hadith Sciences		400	4			28	72	100	
		MISLCIE125	Islamic Economics: History and Development		400	4			28	72	100	
		MISLCMD125	Major Muslim Dynasties: A General Survey		400	2			14	36	50	
		MISLDID125	Islamic Dawah: Approaches and Practices	DISCIPLINE CENTRIC ELECTIVE COURSES (DCE) *	400	4			28	72	100	
		MISLDPA125	Proficiency in Arabic – I (Compulsory for those students who have not studied Arabic at UG Level)		400	4			28	72	100	
		MISLDPP125	Proficiency in Persian – I		400	4			28	72	100	
		MISLDIW125	Women in Islam		400	4			28	72	100	
		MISLDIP125	Islam and Pluralism		400	4			28	72	100	
												330 Hours

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6	II	MISLCUA225	Islamic Civilization under <i>BanuUmayyah</i> and <i>Banu Abbas</i>	CORE COURSES (CR)	400	4	38	22	28	72	100	15 Hours Per Credit
		MISLCMP225	Ilm al-Kalam and Muslim Philosophy		400	4			28	72	100	
		MISLCSS225	Islamic Social Sciences: Concept and Development		400	4			28	72	100	
		MISLCSSW225	Islam and Social Work		400	2			14	36	50	
		MISLDCL225	Islamic Commercial Law	DISCIPLINE CENTRIC ELECTIVE COURSES (DCE) *	400	4			28	72	100	
		MISLDPA225	Proficiency in Arabic – II (Compulsory for those students who have not studied Arabic at UG Level)		400	4			28	72	100	
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		MISLDRW225	Muslim Response to Western Ideologies		400	4			28	72	100	
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6.5	III	MISLCMI325	Islamic Civilization in Medieval India	CORE COURSES (CR)	500	4	38	22	28	72	100	15 Hours Per Credit
		MISLCIJ325	Islamic Jurisprudence (Fiqh): Traditional and Modern Approaches		500	4			28	72	100	
		MISLCIF325	Islamic Finance and Banking		500	4			28	72	100	
		MISLCCW325	Islam and the Contemporary World		500	2			14	36	50	
		MISLDSA325	Islam in Modern South Asia: Thinkers, Trends and Movements	DISCIPLINE CENTRIC ELECTIVE COURSES (DCE) *	500	4			28	72	100	
		MISLDPA325	Proficiency in Arabic – III (Compulsory for those students who have not studied Arabic at UG Level)		500	4			28	72	100	
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		MISLDOT325	Islamic Civilization under the Ottomans		500	4			28	72	100	
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		MISLCWA425	Islam in Modern West Asia: Thinkers, Trends and Movements		500	4			28	72	100	
		MISLCIT425	Tasawwuf: Principles and Development		500	4			28	72	100	
		MISLCAA425	Art and Architecture in Islam		500	2			14	36	50	
		MISLDIB425	Islamic Insurance (<i>Takaful</i>) and Bonds (<i>Sukuk</i>)	DISCIPLINE CENTRIC ELECTIVE COURSES (DCE) *	500	4			28	72	100	
		MISLDPA425	Proficiency in Arabic – IV (Compulsory for those students who have not studied Arabic at UG Level)		500	4			28	72	100	
		MISLDPP425	Proficiency in Persian – IV		500	4			28	72	100	
		MISLDIM425	Islamic Studies: Approaches and Methodology		500	4			28	72	100	
		MISLDCI425	Islamic Civilization in Iran		500	4			28	72	100	
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